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May 23, 2008

RE: GEAUGA COUNTY
CHARLES WHITE, NEWBURY IND PARK
NPDES PERMIT COMPLIANCE INSPECTION
NPDES PERMIT #3PR00297*AD

Mr. Charles White, President
Newbury Industrial Park
14875 Springdale, P.O. Box 678
Middlefield, OH 44062

Dear Mr. White:

On May 8, 2008, I conducted an inspection of the referenced wastewater treatment and disposal system. The purpose of the inspection is to determine compliance with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit issued to you on March 1, 2005, under the Federal Clean Water Act. This report discusses the condition of your wastewater treatment system, current NPDES permit discharge violations, and general control of water pollution associated with your industrial activities.

At the time of the inspection, all parts of the wastewater plant were in operation, and the effluent appeared to be well treated and in general compliance with permit limitations. The wastewater treatment plant showed signs of careful attention to operation and maintenance and good housekeeping. However, for the 15-month period January 1, 2007, to March 1, 2008, Newbury Industrial Park accumulated an excessively large number of permit violations (see attached tables). There are 58 violations of permitted pollutants limits and 649 failures to report violations.

You are to identify problems in your operation that cause these violations, and correct them immediately, and notify this office of the corrective actions, in writing, by June 23, 2008.

You should be aware that your firm is required by Part 12 of Section III of your National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit, to notify this office in writing within 5 days of learning of each violation. Violations of your NPDES permit are subject to enforcement action under Ohio Revised Code 6111 with potential penalty of \$10000 per day per violation.

Please contact me directly at (330) 963-1260 to discuss any comments or questions you may have regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Douglas Hiestand
Environmental Engineer
Division of Surface Water

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cc: Helen Hayes, Geauga County Health Dept

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